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SUBJECT:IRELAND FOLD-IN

1. THIS IS TO AUTHORIZE ROBERT PURPLE, SENIOR DOE SCIENTIFIC REPRESENTATIVE, USEC, BRUSSELS, TO SIGN THE TRIPARTIE LETTER ESTABLISHING THE AGREED INVENTORY OF MATERIAL OF U.S. ORIGIN WHICH IS SUBJECT TO THE U.S.-IRELAND AGREEMENT AND WHICH WILL BECOME SUBJECT TO THE 1960 ADDITIONAL AGREEMENT FOR COOPERATION BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND EURATOM.

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AS STATED IN J. GARRETT'S TELECON WITH YOU, WE AGREE TO THE FOLLOWING INVENTORY:

2. 1) 16 GMS PU IN ONE PU-BE NEUTRON SOURCE FROM NUMEC TO UNIVERSITY COLLEGE, DUBLIN.

2) 1.8. GMS U CONTAINING 1.68 GMS OF U-235 IN ONE
WESTINGHOUSE FISSION COUNTER SERIAL NO. 640903.

THERE SEEMS TO BE A SLIGHT DISAGREEMENT ON ITEM (2)

ABOVE. FOR PURPOSES OF CHECKING, THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION
IS TAKEN FROM THE SHIPPERS DOCUMENT DATED JUNE 2, 1964.

IT SHOULD BE NOTED THAT WESTINGHOUSE DATA IS THE SAME
AS THAT OF DOE RE ENRICHED URANIUM CONTENT.

(A) SHIPPER - WESTINGHOUSE ELECTRIC, ELMIRA,
NEW YORK.

(B) FORM - U308 PLATED ON AL CYLINDERS IN FISSION
CHAMBER. -

(C) TUBE TYPE - WL - 6376A

(D) RECEIVER - UNIVERSITY COLLEGE, CORK, IRELAND
FOR USE IN SUBCRITICAL ASSEMBLY.

3. WE UNDERSTAND FROM R. PURPLE THAT EURATOM IS CARRY-
ING ITEM 2 ABOVE AS 0.41 GMS. WE DO NOT UNDERSTAND
BASIS FOR THIS FIGURE BUT HOPE DETAILS PROVIDED ABOVE
WILL HELP TO ARRIVE AT AGREEMENT WITH EURATOM. IN
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VIEW OF VERY SMALL QUANTITY OF MATERIAL INVOLVED IF
THERE IS A REASONABLE EXPLANATION FOR THE DIFFERENCE,
PURPLE SHOULD USE HIS DISCRETION IN CONCLUDING INVEN-
TORY AGREEMENT WITH IRELAND.

THE TRIPARTITE LETTER SHOULD READ AS FOLLOWS: QUOTE

(IRISH ADDRESSEE)

(COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES ADDRESSEES)

GENTLEMEN:

PURSUANT TO THE NOTIFICATION IN CONNECTION WITH THE
SCHEDULED EXPIRATION ON JULY 8, 1978, OF THE 1958
AGREEMENT FOR COOPERATION CONCERNING CIVIL USES OF
ATOMIC ENERGY BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND IRELAND,
AN INVENTORY OF MATERIALS AND EQUIPMENT (ENCLOSURE)
HAS BEEN PREPARED, WHICH MATERIALS AND EQUIPMENT WILL
AS OF JULY 8, 1978, BECOME SUBJECT TO THE SAFEGUARDS
AND OTHER PROVISIONS OF THE ADDITIONAL AGREEMENT FOR
COOPERATION BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND THE EUROPEAN

ATOMIC ENERGY COMMUNITY (EURATOM). AS OF JULY 8, 1978,
THE RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE INVENTORIED MATERIAL AND
EQUIPMENT SHALL REST WITH THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES ON BEHALF OF EURATOM UNDER THE TERMS AND
CONDITIONS OF THE U.S.-EURATOM ADDITIONAL AGREEMENT FOR
COOPERATION, AS AMENDED.

WE WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR CONFIRMATION OF ACCEPTANCE OF
THE ENCLOSED INVENTORY BY SIGNING EACH OF THE THREE
COPIES OF THIS COMMUNICATION, UNDERSTANDING THAT THE
INVENTORY MAY BE ADJUSTED BY MUTUAL AGREEMENT, FOR
EXAMPLE, TO TAKE INTO ACCOUNT ESTIMATED BURNUP.

ONE ORIGINAL SHALL BE RETAINED BY EACH PARTY.
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SINCERELY,

(ERDA)

IRISH REPRESENTATIVE:

(NAME & TITLE) (DATE)

REPRESENTATIVES OF THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES:

(NAME & TITLE) (NAME & TITLE)

(DATE) (DATE)

ENCLOSURE:
INVENTORY OF MATERIAL AND EQUIPMENT
OF U.S. ORIGIN SUBJECT TO U.S.-IRISH
1958 AGREEMENT FOR COOPERATION AS OF
(DATE) (TRANSFER CUT-OFF DATE) UNQUOTE

4. FYI: DEPARTMENT EXCHANGED NOTES ON JULY 7 WITH EC
COMMISSION OFFICE AND IRISH EMBASSY ON FOLD IN OF
AGREEMENT. VANCE

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